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## BRITISH HONDURAS.

*Weekly report of conditions and transactions at Belize—Fruit port.*BELIZE, BRITISH HONDURAS, *May 24, 1902.*

SIR: I have the honor to make the following report of the conditions and transactions at this port during the week ended May 24, 1902:

Population according to census of 1901, 9,113; present officially estimated population, 7,000. Number of cases and deaths from yellow fever during the week, none; number of cases and deaths from smallpox during the week, none; number of cases and deaths from typhus fever during the week, none; number of cases and deaths from cholera during the week, none; number of cases and deaths from plague during the week, none; number of deaths from other causes during the week, 4. Causes of death: *Ascaris lumbricoides*, 1; enteritis, 1; diarrhea, 1, and debility, 1. General sanitary condition of this port and the surrounding country during the week, good.

Bills of health were issued to the following vessels: May 22, steamship *Managua*, crew, 16; passengers from this port, 6; passengers in transit, 2; baggage disinfected, 7 pieces. May 23, steamship *Breakwater*, crew, 35; passengers from this port, 3; passengers in transit, 17; baggage disinfected, 4 pieces.

Respectfully,

R. H. PETERS,

*Acting Assistant Surgeon, U. S. M. H. S.*

The SURGEON-GENERAL,

*U. S. Marine-Hospital Service.*

## CANADA.

*Inspection of immigrants at Quebec and Halifax.*QUEBEC, CANADA, *May 24, 1902.*

SIR: I have the honor to report that for the week ended May 24 there were inspected 559 immigrants; passed, 548; detained, 11. \* \* \*

Respectfully,

VICTOR G. HEISER,

*Assistant Surgeon, U. S. M. H. S.*

The SURGEON-GENERAL,

*U. S. Marine-Hospital Service.*QUEBEC, CANADA, *June 2, 1902*

SIR: I have the honor to report that for the week ended May 31, there were inspected 487 immigrants; passed, 477; detained, 10. \* \* \* During the week ended May 31, there were inspected at the port of Halifax, Nova Scotia, 69 immigrants; passed, 68; detained, 1. \* \* \*

Respectfully,

VICTOR G. HEISER,

*Assistant Surgeon, U. S. M. H. S.*

The SURGEON-GENERAL,

*U. S. Marine-Hospital Service.*

## CHINA.

*Report from Hongkong—Plague and cholera.*HONGKONG, CHINA, *April 28, 1902.*

SIR: I have the honor to transmit herewith the abstract of bills of health issued at this station during the week ended April 26, 1902. Six vessels were inspected, 636 individuals were bathed at the disin-